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Meteorological Report.

The following observations were taken at the South Texas Garden for the 24 hours ending at eight o'clock today:

Brownsville, Texas, Oct. 19, 1909.
Meteorological data for 24 hours ending at 7 a. m. today:
Barometer at 7 p. m. yesterday 29.99
Barometer at 7 a. m. today . . . 30.06
Temperature at 7 a. m. today . . . 70.7
Maximum temp. yesterday . . . 86.0
Minimum temp. this morning . . . 69.3

Official Forecast.

Tonight and Wednesday generally cloudy weather, colder Wednesday, generally fair; light to moderate northerly winds.

LOCAL ITEMS**Marriage Licenses** were today issued to the following parties: Baltazar Reyes and Gila Esparza; Anselmo Longoria and Luisa Rodriguez; Agajito Barrientes and Petra de Leon.**Dr. Kent**, eye, ear, nose and throat. Office Combe building. 8-26-1f**Immigration Office Changes.**—Within the past few days several changes have taken place in the personnel of the immigration service. Guard F. B. Payne has resigned and removed to San Antonio. Ambrose Littlefield has been appointed in the place of Mr. Payne as temporary guard. Shelly Binkley, who has held the official position of custodian of the broom and scrubbing brush has also resigned and one Rosalio Garcia has been appointed to that place.**Thornham Trial.**—The trial of Jesse Thornham, charged with the murder of S. P. Wreford and which was transferred from this district court to Sinton on a change of venue has been set for next Monday. A number of witnesses from here have been summoned to testify in the case.**Court Will Adjourn.**—In all probability the county court, which has been in session for the past two weeks, will adjourn this afternoon. While the court was in session yesterday no business of any importance was transacted.**A most beautiful and colored picture**—"Legend of a Ghost," at the Electric Theatre tonight.**Ill at Sanitarium.**—Mike Wicks, who was a member of the Brownsville crack ball team last season and who for the past few months has had charge of the bowling alleys of the Brownsville Sporting Goods Company, is ill at the Works Sanitarium.**Drilling.**—The Brownsville Rifles are drilling nightly so that they will be in good form for the Waterways Convention at Corpus Christi on Thursday and Friday of this week. The Rifles and the Mexican Military band at Matamoros will be taken by the Brownsville delegation. The Rifles will also be guard of honor to both President Taft and Governor Campbell.**Bowling.**—In the bowling contest last week at the Brownsville Sporting Goods Company, Joe Katool, the "Moses Wonder," led the list, the scores of the leading bowlers being as follows: Joe Katool, 114; S. H. Bell, 112; Juni Cobolini, 112; Sorrells, 111; Geo. McGonigle, 110; W. G. Willman, 110; Hy. B. Verhelle, 109; Fred Berry, 107; John Lockett, 107; B. Kowalski, 106; Rosenthal, 105; M. G. Dellinger, 104; A. Goldammer, 103; J. Gregg, 102; "Umps" Baker, 101; D. H. Cummings, 100; "Gumshoe" Donnelly, 100; J. C. Wreford, 100.**Still Soliciting.**—Joe Katool and Juni Cobolini are still at work soliciting funds for the purpose of making a deposit of \$250 with the National Baseball Commission as a guarantee of Brownsville's good faith in coming into the Southwest Texas Baseball League which it is proposed to organize and of which league Brownsville will be one of the towns. It will require at least \$3,000 to run a league team next season and the fans of the city now have under consideration several plans by which money may be raised for the purpose of creating a fund with which to support the team.**Meeting Tomorrow Night.**—There will be a meeting of the Knights of Pythias tomorrow night at 8 o'clock at their rooms over Wise & Newman's for work in the third rank. All visitors are cordially invited to attend. 10-19-1f**Second in Series.**—The second in the series of small dances being given by the younger set was held last Saturday evening in the Woodmen's Hall. Those present were: Mrs. Wise, the Misses Millie, Etta and Adele Reed, Amy Wise, Lucy Tate and Ethel Neale; B. Kowalski, L. Smythe, J. Celaya, T. Tate, A. P. Smith, D. P. Kowalski, J. W. Dennett, W. Manaker and J. Heath, Corpus Christi.**Citrus Fruit Inspectors.**—The visiting citrus fruit experts and investigators, H. H. Hume and F. W. Mally, took the early train this morning for San Benito, intending to spend the day there inspecting the Stillwell nursery and other sights of interest. Prof. Hume will probably go farther up the valley tomorrow, return to Brownsville tomorrow evening and stay at least another day in this neighborhood. Mr. Mally will start back for Austin tomorrow.**Clearing Sale.**—In order to make room for large stock of confectionery and stationery now in transit, we are going to sell at greatly reduced prices our entire stock of sporting goods, including guns, ammunition, fishing tackle, base ball goods, cutlery, bicycles, etc. Also nice line of ladies hand bags. Here is your chance to buy lovely Xmas presents at cost. Sale will take place Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Brownsville Sporting Goods Co. 10-19, 20, 21.**San Antonio-Brownsville Survey Completed.**

The survey for the Hill San Antonio-Brownsville railroad has been completed and the report is in Mr. Hill's hands. The surveyors are now running new lines in various parts of the route in the effort to improve upon the one already obtained. They are now in Live Oak Co., approaching Oakville, which is not on the line of the first survey, but will be included in this revised version.

Missionary Convention.

Special to The Herald.
Burlington, Vt., Oct. 19.—The American Missionary Convention Association begins its sixty-third annual meeting here this evening. Many missionaries from foreign fields will be present, and the topics for discussion will include, besides phases of foreign work, a discussion of the situation in the South.

NOTICE.

The \$2.50 Taft Day rate as advertised for October 22, has been withdrawn and a \$3.00 rate substituted, good leaving Brownsville, October 21 and 22, and return limit leaving Corpus Christi, Oct. 23.

Dissolution Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between W. H. Shoemaker and T. S. Simmons, as the Eureka Plumbing and Sheet Metal works, has been dissolved, W. H. Shoemaker assuming all indebtedness to date and receipting for all bills.

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Brownsville, Tex., Oct. 18, 1909.
10-18-6f.

Realty Transfers.

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PERSONALS

Judge Jas. B. Wells left yesterday morning for Sinton to appear for the defense in the Thornton case which was set for trial yesterday.

David Griffiths of Washington, D. C., the government cactus expert arrived last night on one of his periodical visits to the South Texas Garden where he is conducting many interesting experiments with cactus, spiny and spineless. He spent the day at the Garden noting results of tests now in progress.

F. W. Kibbe and C. B. McCollum went up to San Juan this morning to attend the weekly meeting of the Directors of the Gravity Irrigation Company.

The car "Paisano" with General Manager Rodgers and superintendent J. D. Finnegan of the Brownsville road aboard came in on the fog end of the branch train yesterday afternoon. Mr. Rodgers went out to Kingsville in the car this morning while Mr. Finnegan took an excursion up the branch.

B. F. Lawler roadmaster of this end of the St. L. B. & M. in place of E. S. Heyser, lately transferred to the Port O'Connor extension, now in process of construction, was in town last night.

The crowd on the branch was slim last night only a small number of visitors coming to town. Those noticed were: A. S. Agar, E. C. Reese, W. W. Higgins, E. S. Haggard, San Benito, C. E. Fitch, Mercedes, C. S. Palm, Run, Alfred Lissner, Donna, W. Daviess Pittman, La Feria, A. N. Baker, Chapin, J. C. Kelly, San Juan.

J. M. Johnson, Jr., the Mercedes banker was in town overnight.

R. W. Abbott, R. Rentfro and A. B. Cole started out this afternoon in the latter's machine for a run to Chapin. They expect to visit several other up river towns and return tomorrow evening.

Last night's train brought these visitors and prospectors: F. C. Mitchell, Denver, C. Abbott, San Antonio, Claude O'Neal, Wellington, Kansas, S. D. Russell and wife Miss Minnie Russell, Ala. S. R. Peters, Alice, W. C. Williams, Hampton, S. C., Phil Welder, Beeville, C. L. Pickett and wife, Lubbock.

Dr. S. H. Bell went to Harlingen this morning to stay for a few days.

Sheriff Garza visited Bixby today to summon witnesses to appear in Brownsville next week.

Little trips up the road were taken today by Dr. S. K. Hallam and Mr. Juringo to Donna, and J. B. Axson to San Juan.

Sam Robertson is in town today "doing business."

DR. THORN RETURNS.

Had the Pleasure of Seeing and Hearing President Taft.

Dr. C. H. Thorn returned last night from a trip to El Paso where he has been attending the Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star and incidentally, watching two presidents shake hands. Dr. Thorn says that he had the pleasure of hearing President Taft speak twice, once at El Paso and once at Sanderson, where he happened to be standing at the station talking to Miss Teresa Havre of Brownsville, when the presidential car arrived. Sanderson being a division point was honored by a stop of several minutes. A large crowd that was in waiting took advantage of this to persuade the president to appear on the rear of the observation car and say a few words and smile a few smiles in the most approved Taft manner.

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